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CONGRESSMAN ANDY KIM
UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NEW JERSEY THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

March 27, 2023

Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
H-307, the Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Hamilton Public Library Renovations Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Hamilton Township located at 2090 Greenwood Avenue, PO Box 00150, Hamilton, NJ 08650-0150.

The funding would be used for upgrading library restrooms to be ADA compliant, as well as replacing old and damaged windows, flooring, and furniture. The Hamilton Free Public Library plays an essential role in providing safe, accessible, and free educational resource centers for every member of the more than 90,000 Hamilton Township residents. The library also acts as a shelter, learning center, and an employment center for residents, community members, and underserved populations. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it has clear economic development benefits, helps meet a compelling local need for shelter, employment assistance, learning, and provides equitable resources to underserved populations.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(1), and/or 5305(a)(5).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

Andy Kim
Member of Congress